

Table 3B
Hospitalization and Disability Associated with Illnesses/Injuries
*Possibly Related to Pesticide Exposure**
1998

ACTIVITY		TOTAL CASES	HOSPITALIZATION				DISABILITY			
			Number of Cases			Total Days Reported	Number of Cases			Total Days Reported
			Days Known ¹	Indefinite ²	Unknown ³		Days Known ¹	Indefinite ²	Unknown ³	
OCCUPATIONAL										
Mixer/Loader	Ground	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	13
	Hand	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
	Other/Unknown	5	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	7
Applicator	Ground	26	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	23
	Hand	29	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	14
	Chamber	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	Tarp (Fumigant)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other/Unknown	30	1	0	0	6	8	2	1	58
	Other/Unknown (Fumigant)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mechanical Work on Contaminated Equipment		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pack/Process (Commodity)		18	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	26
Field Worker	Exposed to Drift	22	0	0	1	0	6	0	1	16
	Exposed to Residue	66	1	0	2	2	18	0	7	57
	Other/Unknown Exposure	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Routine Indoor Activity	Exposed to Drift	13	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
	Exposed to Residue	85	13	0	0	23	25	1	17	125
	Other/Unknown Exposure	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Routine Outdoor Activity	Exposed to Drift	12	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Routine Outdoor Activity	Exposed to Residue	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
	Other/Unknown Exposure	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport/Storage/Disposal		9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

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Emergency Response		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Occupational Activity		7	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	4
Occupational Totals		341	15	0	3	31	83	3	31	351
NON-OCCUPATIONAL - less fully reported than occupational cases										
Applicator	Hand	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Routine Indoor Activity	Exposed to Drift	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
	Exposed to Residue	12	2	0	0	11	0	0	8	0
Routine Outdoor Activity	Exposed to Drift	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	6	0
	Exposed to Residue	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Other Non-Occupational Activity		2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Non-Occupational Totals		36	2	0	2	11	0	0	19	0
Possible Case Totals		377	17	0	5	42	83	3	50	351

* Source: California Department of Pesticide Regulation, Pesticide Illness Surveillance Program

¹ Days Known – The duration of hospitalization/disability was reported as one or more days

² Indefinite – The exposed person definitely was hospitalized or missed work, but the duration of was not reported.

³ Unknown – Unknown whether hospitalization/disability occurred or not